

WOMAN IS  
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WILD SHOT BY  
NEW TRAFFIC COP  
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FAIR AND WARMER  
TONIGHT AND TOMORROW  
THE TEMPERATURES.

ATTORNEY GENERAL GETS  
ORDER TO INVESTIGATE  
RUTHERFORD MURDER CASE

Six Bullet Wounds in Vic-  
tim of Murder Discovered  
on Bank of Horseshoe  
Lake.

TELEPHONE NUMBER  
IS ONLY CLEW

Slip of White Paper Bears  
Notation of Delmar  
4453W—Discovered by  
Fishermen.

The body of a woman, who had  
been shot six times, was found in  
a thicket on the bank of Horse-  
shoe Lake, east of Granite City,  
this morning.

Two fishermen in a cabin nearby  
reported having heard six shots  
about 5 o'clock last night.

No marks of identification were  
found. The only clew is a slip of  
paper discovered close to the body  
bearing the telephone number of  
Delmar 4453W, a St. Louis ex-  
change.

Mystery in Number.

This has been the telephone  
number of the residence of Mr.  
and Mrs. Leo Maureau, Mrs. Mou-  
reau's two young sisters and Mr.  
and Mrs. John Muesterman, at  
3564 North Boyle avenue, for the  
last two months. Mrs. Maureau  
said today she had seen her sis-  
ters and Mrs. Muesterman this  
morning, and she was unable to  
explain how the number happened  
to be on the slip of paper at the  
lake.

Orville Van Stratten of 816A  
Linton avenue, a St. Louis police-  
man, went to Granite City this af-  
ternoon to view the body in the bet-  
leef the woman might be his sis-  
ter, Mrs. Arthur J. Fifer of 4618A  
Easton avenue, who answers the de-  
scription of the woman. Fifer, an  
undertaker, said his wife was  
home when he left at 6 o'clock this  
morning, but was not there when  
he returned at noon. Mrs. Muester-  
man also went to Granite City,  
because she had given her tele-  
phone number to Mrs. Fifer, her  
friend. Mrs. Maureau accompanied  
her.

Mrs. M. Connors of 5232 Lexing-  
ton avenue said the Delmar tele-  
phone number had been hers about  
eight months ago at 4262 McPherson  
avenue. She said of no one  
would be carrying a note of that  
number now.

The woman appeared to be 28 or  
30 years old. She was about 5 feet  
2 inches tall, weighed about 160  
pounds and had chestnut-brown,  
bobbed hair and two upper teeth  
of gold. Her clothes were of good  
quality. She wore a black hat, tan  
coat, brown dress, blue stockings  
and black patent leather pumps.  
Around her neck was a heavy  
string of red and white glass beads.  
Among articles in her red-headed  
handbag were two trunk keys, 88  
cents, a red handkerchief and a  
package of cigarettes.

No Evidence of Robbery.

There was no indication of rob-  
bery. There were two bullet  
wounds in the right side of the  
chest, one in the left side, one in  
the right shoulder, one under the  
right arm and one in the left  
thigh.

William Paschedag of Granite  
City and Jack Israel of St. Louis,  
tin mill workers, who have a club-  
house on the bank of the lake, sev-  
eral hundred feet from where the  
body was found, had gone there  
last night to fish. They told Cor-  
oner Bauer and Deputy Coroner  
Tate they had heard three shots  
last night from the direction of the  
thicket. After an interval of about  
five minutes they heard two more,  
they said, followed by a woman's  
scream, and then a sixth shot.

Suspicions Aroused.

They stayed up until 10 p. m.  
watching for an automobile to  
leave the vicinity, but declared they  
saw none. At 7:30 o'clock this  
morning they went to the thicket  
and found the body.

This thicket is reached through a  
clearing from a country road  
about 200 yards away, which runs  
from Eagle Park to the moonshine  
farm, not far from the thicket,  
where the Hockett-Balke murders  
occurred several months ago, after  
Constable Hockett and his compan-  
ion had visited this bootleggers'  
rendezvous.

Fresh Peaches in St. Louis Market.

Twelve crates of peaches, the  
first to be placed on the St. Louis  
market this season, were received  
from Mississippi today and were  
distributed to retailers at prices  
ranging from \$2 to \$2.25 per crate,  
comprising about half a bushel.

FIRE TO ENFORCE  
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JOHN B. GERDES.

FIRST EDITION OF JOHN GOWER  
OF 1483 IS SOLD FOR \$20,000

Dr. A. S. W. Rosenbach Also Pays  
\$4100 for Only Known Copy of  
"Maiden's Dream."

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NEW YORK, May 22.—Bidding  
ran up the price of a first edition  
of John Gower's "Confession Am-  
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to \$20,000 yesterday, at the third  
session of the sale of the Eliza-  
bethan and early Stuart library of  
John L. Clawson of Buffalo. Only  
20 copies of the book are known  
to be extant. This one is nearly  
perfect. Dr. A. S. W. Rosenbach  
bought it.

Dr. Rosenbach also paid \$3900  
for a first English edition of Rob-  
ert Garnier's tragedy of "An-  
tonie," translated by the Countess  
of Pembroke in 1595, the play that  
is supposed to have suggested  
Shakespeare's "Anthony and Cleo-  
patra," and \$4100 for the only  
known copy of Christopher Good-  
win's "Maiden's Dream," printed  
in 1542.

DANCER WHO COST MAHARAJAH  
THRONE SUES TO GET HER BABY

Mumtaz Begum Vainly Applies to  
Court at Amritsar for Custody of Child.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, May 22.—A dispatch  
to the Daily Express from Allah-  
abad, India, says that Mumtaz  
Begum, the dancing girl who cost  
the Maharajah of Indore his throne,  
has vainly applied to the court at  
Amritsar for the restoration of her  
baby, which she alleges her par-  
ents kidnapped.

The baby is claimed to be heir  
to the fortune of Abdul Kadir  
Bawla, a Bombay merchant, who  
was assassinated while Mumtaz  
Begum was being sheltered in his  
home in Bombay after her escape  
from the palace of the Maharajah.

It was charged at the time of the  
assassination of Bawla that agents  
of the Maharajah of Indore were  
responsible. Three of them were  
sentenced to death and two were  
executed. The Maharajah abdic-  
ated as a result of the scandal.

BIG DAM BILL HELD UP

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WASHINGTON, May 22.—The  
House Irrigation Committee voted  
today to pigeonhole the Swing-  
Johnson boulder canyon bill for  
the present session.

The vote to defer action was 9  
to 6 and was on a motion by Rep-  
resentative Hayden (Dem., Ari-  
zona). The measure thus remains  
before the committee until the win-  
ter session of Congress.

Features in Tomorrow's  
Sunday Post-Dispatch

A Model Marriage—Almost—  
The mistake-proof union  
which was planned by a noted  
American woman writer  
has ended in a divorce of di-  
vorce. The history from altar  
to court, of an unusual affair.  
Eleven Children Were Not  
Enough—So this Arkansas  
couple adopted 17 more. The  
husband is a street car mo-  
torman, now 63. Only one  
fledgling remains in the  
nest.

History of the Movies Is a  
Screen Thriller—Thirty-seven  
years ago there were no mo-  
tion pictures. Now, \$2,000,  
000,000 is invested in the in-  
dustry. The cream of a mon-  
umental history soon to be  
published.

Fishing for Fossils—This Kan-  
sas fisherman uses hammer,  
chisel and pickax. The fish-  
er has lived at least 3,000,000  
years ago, in an enormous in-  
land sea. With photographs.

Joseph Pennell, Man of Opin-  
ions—The recent death of the  
great artist recalls his color-  
ful career. Born a Quaker, he  
spent his life in argumentative  
combat.

The Army Conquers the Mos-  
quito—How the Army has  
soldiers in the Philippine Is-  
lands volunteered for dan-  
gerous experiments which es-  
tablished the cause of dan-  
ger, "the breakbone fever."

Official forecast  
for St. Louis and  
vicinity: Fair and  
warmer tonight and  
tomorrow.  
Missouri: Fair  
tonight and prob-  
ably tomorrow;  
rising temperature  
tomorrow and in north and  
central portions  
tonight.  
Illinois: Fair  
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Couple Both Former Kansas Uni-  
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The firm was founded by  
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in vain to acquire the control which  
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Outsiders Long Time Barred.

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quite recently was the former Ger-  
man Crown Prince permitted to  
become a shareholder.

The exclusive zinc mining con-  
cession in Silesia failed renewal in  
1902, but the concern, by branch-  
ing into other industries, was able  
to keep up its fabulous profits. No  
exact estimate of the company's  
value was made until 1913, when  
for taxation purposes the Von  
Giesches valued their possessions  
at 300,000,000 marks (about \$75,-  
000,000). It was the highest val-  
uation of any undertaking in Ger-  
many, not excepting the Krupps.  
When the World War broke out  
the concern bought German war  
bonds for 160,000,000 gold marks  
(\$75,000,000), or more than any  
other German concern or individ-  
ual. When Germany lost the war  
Tippel-Selska was looted off. Four-  
fifths of the Von Giesche posses-  
sions are now under the Polish  
flag. This created difficulties for  
a company owned by ardent Ger-  
man Nationalists.

Cash Reserves Melted Away.

In the inflation period which  
followed, the 160,000,000 marks in-  
vested in war loans became almost  
worthless, the cash reserves melted  
away, and the Von Giesches had to  
go borrowing. Two sources were  
open to the firm. One was ob-  
tain state aid and the other to in-  
terest outside capital.

Negotiations were opened with  
the Anaconda and Harriman in-  
terests, which led to a proposal for  
the formation of an American cor-  
poration to acquire all the Von  
Giesche property in Poland. The  
proposal was heartily welcomed by  
the Polish Government.

The shareholders last November  
approved the proposition, but it  
took six additional months before  
the intricate legal financial, polit-  
ical and administrative problems  
could be straightened out and the  
American option converted into a  
permanent acquisition.

At the request of the Prussian  
State Government, the Harriman-  
Anaconda representatives agreed  
that acquisition of the Polish part  
of the concern would not mean in-  
terference with the ore exploitation  
operations of the Von Giesche  
properties in Germany.

GOVERNOR TELLS  
GENTRY TO TAKE  
CHARGE OF ACTION  
BY GRAND JURY

Calls for Thorough Inquiry  
That Justice May Be  
Rendered Whatever the  
Outcome Might Be.

STATE PROSECUTOR  
TO ARRIVE MONDAY

Will Have G. W. Crowder  
as Assistant and Says  
They Will Be Unham-  
pered by Any Local  
Authority.

Gov. Baker today ordered At-  
torney-General Gentry to conduct  
a grand jury investigation of the  
settlement of the Rutherford mur-  
der case, which has caused severe  
criticism of Circuit Attorney Sidener  
and Circuit Judge Mix.

The Governor's action followed  
demands made in resolutions of the  
Chamber of Commerce directors  
and the Executive Committee of  
the St. Louis Bar Association. The  
Chamber of Commerce resolution  
spoke of the case as "a public  
scandal" and pointed out that "the  
administration of the criminal law  
of this State has apparently been  
corrupted and feloniously frus-  
trated."

Text of Order to Gentry.

The Governor's letter, directed  
to Attorney-General Gentry, is:  
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in the public press of St. Louis  
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of the case of the State of Mis-  
souri vs. William Allen Scott  
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Circuit Court of St. Louis, and  
in view of the communications  
that have reached this office,  
which indicate a reasonable  
cause for investigation, I am  
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one of your assistants, a thor-  
ough investigation of the entire  
matter by the grand jury of St.  
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outcome of the investigation  
might be.

Attorney-General Gentry, after  
receiving the Governor's letter, an-  
nounced that he would take per-  
sonal charge of the investigation,  
and that he would be in St. Louis  
Monday morning for that purpose.  
George W. Crowder, Assistant At-  
torney-General, will accompany  
him.

"I shall take full charge of the  
inquiry," Gentry said, "and I shall  
be unhampered by any local au-  
thority."

Gentry indicated he would ap-  
point a special assistant for the  
Rutherford case and would ask  
the Circuit Court to make this as-  
sistant a special prosecutor also. It  
is likely a St. Louis lawyer, familiar  
with the local situation, will be ap-  
pointed.

Grand Jury Meets Tuesday.

The grand jury meets Tuesday.  
The Attorney-General said he  
would have to consider between  
now and Monday the question  
whether to use the present grand  
jury or another body, with more  
time to serve, for the investigation.  
"That's fine, I'm glad to hear it,"  
was Mix's comment.

Circuit Attorney Sidener had  
nothing to say.

In its resolution, requesting the  
action which has now been taken,  
the Bar Association Executive  
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The committee consists of Er-  
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Calls for Thorough Inquiry  
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Outcome Might Be.

STATE PROSECUTOR  
TO ARRIVE MONDAY

Will Have G. W. Crowder  
as Assistant and Says  
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pered by Any Local  
Authority.

Gov. Baker today ordered At-  
torney-General Gentry to conduct  
a grand jury investigation of the  
settlement of the Rutherford mur-  
der case, which has caused severe  
criticism of Circuit Attorney Sidener  
and Circuit Judge Mix.

The Governor's action followed  
demands made in resolutions of the  
Chamber of Commerce directors  
and the Executive Committee of  
the St. Louis Bar Association. The  
Chamber of Commerce resolution  
spoke of the case as "a public  
scandal" and pointed out that "the  
administration of the criminal law  
of this State has apparently been  
corrupted and feloniously frus-  
trated."

Text of Order to Gentry.

The Governor's letter, directed  
to Attorney-General Gentry, is:  
In view of what has appeared  
in the public press of St. Louis  
on the subject of the disposition  
of the case of the State of Mis-  
souri vs. William Allen Scott  
Rutherford, in Division 10 of the  
Circuit Court of St. Louis, and  
in view of the communications  
that have reached this office,  
which indicate a reasonable  
cause for investigation, I am  
therefore directing that you con-  
duct, either in person or through  
one of your assistants, a thor-  
ough investigation of the entire  
matter by the grand jury of St.  
Louis, to the end that justice  
may be rendered, whatever the  
outcome of the investigation  
might be.

Attorney-General Gentry, after  
receiving the Governor's letter, an-  
nounced that he would take per-  
sonal charge of the investigation,  
and that he would be in St. Louis  
Monday morning for that purpose.  
George W. Crowder, Assistant At-  
torney-General, will accompany  
him.

"I shall take full charge of the  
inquiry," Gentry said, "and I shall  
be unhampered by any local au-  
thority."

Gentry indicated he would ap-  
point a special assistant for the  
Rutherford case and would ask  
the Circuit Court to make this as-  
sistant a special prosecutor also. It  
is likely a St. Louis lawyer, familiar  
with the local situation, will be ap-  
pointed.

Grand Jury Meets Tuesday.

The grand jury meets Tuesday.  
The Attorney-General said he  
would have to consider between  
now and Monday the question  
whether to use the present grand  
jury or another body, with more  
time to serve, for the investigation.  
"That's fine, I'm glad to hear it,"  
was Mix's comment.

Circuit Attorney Sidener had  
nothing to say.

In its resolution, requesting the  
action which has now been taken,  
the Bar Association Executive  
commented:

"In view of what has appeared  
in the public press of this city on  
the subject of the disposition of  
the case of William Allen Scott  
Rutherford, in Division 10 of the  
Circuit Court, be it resolved, by  
this committee, that the Governor  
of the State be requested to direct  
the Attorney-General of the State  
to conduct a thorough investigation  
of the entire matter by the grand  
jury in St. Louis, in order that all  
the facts may be brought out and  
that complete justice may be  
done."

The committee consists of Er-  
nest A. Green, president of the lo-  
cal organization; William R. Gen-  
try, Arthur E. Kammerer, George  
C. Wilson, James J. Seelye, John  
Centerville.

WE'RE READY  
TO BITE INTO  
OUR OLIVE

Official forecast  
for St. Louis and  
vicinity: Fair and  
warmer tonight and  
tomorrow.  
Missouri: Fair  
tonight and prob-  
ably tomorrow;  
rising temperature  
tomorrow and in north and  
central portions  
tonight.  
Illinois: Fair  
tonight; cooler in  
extreme south  
portions; possibly  
light frost in ex-  
treme northeast  
portion; tomor-  
row probably fair  
with rising tem-  
perature.

Summary: 7:15—sunrise (tomor-  
row) 4:42.  
Stage of the Mississippi 11.3 feet,  
a fall of .9.

Week's Weather Outlook.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—  
Weather outlook for the week be-  
ginning Monday:  
Upper Mississippi and Lower  
Missouri valleys: Local showers  
Monday or Tuesday and again lat-  
ter part of week; otherwise gen-  
erally fair. Warmer Monday, cooler  
Tuesday or Wednesday, warmer  
about Thursday.

FORMER MRS. DODGE'S NEW  
HUSBAND CHANGES NAME

Hugh Dillman McGaughy Gets  
Permission to Drop Last of  
His Three Names.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, May 22.—Hugh  
Dillman McGaughy, who recently  
married Mrs. Anna Dodge, widow  
of the automobile manufacturer,  
obtained permission today from  
Supreme Court Justice Tierney to  
assume the name of Hugh Dill-  
man.

In his petition, McGaughy stated  
he was born Feb. 8, 1885, at  
Chesterfield, O., and now lives on  
Park avenue. He gave as his rea-  
son for changing his name the  
fact that he has been engaged in  
theatrical and artistic manage-  
ment for more than 15 years, and  
is known to business associates as  
Hugh Dillman.

MAIL POUCHES STOLEN ON  
AMERICAN LINER; TWO HELD

One Was Member of Crew and  
Other Was Stowaway on Voy-  
age to Bremen.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, May 22.—The re-  
cent looting of mail pouches on the  
steamship George Washington of  
the United States Line is believed  
to have been cleared up by the ar-  
rests aboard that vessel at Bremen  
of a member of the crew and of a  
stowaway who is believed to be a  
notorious international crook. Both  
are Americans.

A mail pouch was looted on the  
George Washington's last trip to  
the United States and a Postoffice  
detective was placed aboard as a  
member of the crew when she  
sailed from New York May 12. Two  
additional pouches were looted two  
days after the vessel left New York.

When the George Washington  
arrived at Plymouth, England, a  
detail of Scotland Yard operatives  
boarded the vessel and went to Bre-  
men, where the assistance of the  
Bremen police was obtained.

The stowaway was found in a  
coal bunker. Nearly were a num-  
ber of letters and safety razor  
blades, similar to those found be-  
side the rifled mail bags. A mem-  
ber of the engine room crew, who  
had made but two trips on the ship,  
has a criminal record. Both were  
arrested.

SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT AND  
WIFE, A TEACHER, END LIVES

Couple Both Former Kansas Uni-  
versity Students Shoot Selves  
in New Mexico

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

RATON, N. M., May 22.—Fol-  
lowing a trifling quarrel said to  
have arisen while they were pack-  
ing their household goods, at the  
expiration of the school year, Har-  
ry D. Hackley, 28 superintendent  
of the Van Houten schools and  
his wife, Hester, a teacher, com-  
mitted suicide here yesterday.

In the midst of the argument Mrs.  
Hackley fled to the home of a  
neighbor and locked herself in a  
bedroom. Hackley followed and  
pleaded for admittance. When it  
was refused he broke down the  
door and found his wife dead from  
a bullet wound. He seized the  
weapon and killed himself.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 22.—  
Harry D. Hackley was a nephew  
of L. B. Swearingin of Rosedale,  
Missouri, who died this morning.  
His nephew attended the Univer-  
sity of Kansas in 1917 and 1918.  
His wife formerly was Miss Hester  
Hagan of Troy, Kan. Swearingin  
said the couple probably was pack-  
ing to come to Kansas City to  
spend the summer. They had  
taught near Raton several years  
and always came back to this  
neighborhood for the summer vacation.  
Mrs. Hackley was a graduate of  
the University of Kansas and at  
the Horner Institute in Kansas  
City.

AMERICANS BUY  
CONTROL OF GREAT  
POLISH COMPANY

Under Supreme Court Rul-  
ing Upholding Fire Rate  
Reduction, Amount Is  
Owed to Missourians.

ONLY \$1,000,000 IN  
BONDS AS GUARANTEE

Appeal by Companies to  
United States Court May  
Delay Benefit to Those  
Who Pay Fire Premiums.

By the Associated Press.

BRESLAU, Germany, May 22.—  
The Anaconda Copper Mining Co.  
and W. A. Harriman & Co., bank-  
ers, both American concerns, have  
acquired control of the Polish  
holdings of George von Giesche's  
heirs. The negotiations were con-  
cluded today.

The Von Giesche heirs control  
10 per cent of the world's zinc  
production, some of the finest  
lead mines in Germany, besides  
lead and silver smelting works,  
brick factories and porcelain  
works, three basalt quarries, ar-  
tificial silk and sulphuric acid  
factories and holds title to 10,000  
acres of agricultural land and  
7,000 acres of forest. It also  
owns a bank.

The firm was founded by  
George Von Giesche, who, in  
1704, obtained an exclusive con-  
cession from Leopold I, of Aus-  
tria for mining zinc in Silesia.  
The shares in the concern have  
been handed down from genera-  
tion to generation, and Emperors,  
Kings and statesmen have tried  
in vain to acquire the control which  
now goes to the Americans.

Outsiders Long Time Barred.

George Von Giesche's sons left  
no heirs, and his huge fortune fell  
into the hands of three daughters.  
Until 1923 none but their direct  
descendants owned shares. After  
that more distant relatives were  
occasionally permitted to acquire  
minor interests, but outsiders were  
barred for a long time. Not until  
quite recently was the former Ger-  
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## RUTHERFORD CASE LAWYER TELLS OF BENDER'S BARGAIN

Lacy Shows That Special Prosecutor Played Position in Interests of Damage Suit Claim.

ALSO SAYS JUDGE AGREED TO A FINE  
Slayer's Counsel Called on Mix, as Sidener Charged, and Jurist Made Private Agreement.

At least two private interviews with Rutherford defense counsel in which Circuit Judge Mix agreed in advance to accept the recommendation of the Circuit Attorney's office were described by Verne R. C. Lacy, a member of the Rutherford counsel, in an interview with a Post-Dispatch reporter yesterday afternoon, supporting Circuit Attorney Sidener's charge made in open court and in presence of the grand jury that Judge Mix had so acted.

Another important point in Lacy's recital of how William Allen Scott Rutherford, drunken slayer of Jack Tucker, Majestic Hotel hitboy, got off with a \$500 fine, was that A. Samuel Bender, a Republican politician, who played the dual role of damage suit attorney for Mrs. Tucker and special prosecutor subordinated his duty to the State to a successful effort to collect money from the Rutherford for his client.

Tells of Bender's Dickerings.  
Lacy told how Bender, on whom Circuit Attorney Sidener relied to produce witnesses, began to dicker with the Rutherford counsel last February about a civil settlement for Mrs. Tucker.

Bender was informed that before the Rutherford family would pay his client a cent the criminal case against Rutherford would have to be settled. Bender replied, according to Lacy: "What kind of a settlement do you want?" Lacy told him he felt Rutherford ought to be allowed to plead guilty of manslaughter and pay \$500 fine.

Bender then said, according to Lacy, that he would see what could be done.

Acting as a go-between for the Rutherford defense in its negotiations with the Circuit Attorney's office, Bender brought the word to Lacy about April 30 that Sidener was willing to recommend a plea and fine. On Friday, April 30, Lacy says he went to see Judge Mix for the first time.

The Judge has denied having any private conferences with the Rutherford attorneys, has denied that he agreed in advance to Sidener's recommendation and on May 5 when Rutherford was freed he commented from the bench, "I know nothing of the facts in this case."

Circuit Judge Frey was the first to contradict Judge Mix's statement. He said that on the morning of May 5 he went to Judge Mix, told him the facts in the case, and warned him not to accept Sidener's recommendation.

Agreed It Was Manslaughter.  
Now comes Lacy to say that he placed all the facts on the case before Judge Mix in private conference and that Judge Mix agreed "it was a manslaughter case." The Judge, Lacy says, also agreed to accept Sidener's recommendation without comment.

Lacy is not sure whether former Probate Judge W. W. Henderson, chief of defense counsel, accompanied him on the first or the second visit to Judge Mix, but Henderson was present at one of the two conferences. After the first conference Bender carried the word to Lacy that Sidener was apprehensive lest his personal and political enemy, Mix, agree to pass the recommendation without comment and then "blow off" in court criticizing Sidener.

So, on the second visit Lacy told Judge Mix frankly, "I understand Sidener is afraid you won't stand hitched on your agreement because of bad feeling between him and you."

According to Lacy, the Judge assured him that he would pass without comment any recommendation of the Circuit Attorney's office.

Third Conference With Mix.  
The third conference Lacy says he had with Judge Mix was on the morning Rutherford pleaded guilty. He went to John Bowcock, Assistant Circuit Attorney prosecuting in Judge Mix's court, and asked him: "Are you going to recommend this plea and fine?" Bowcock told him he would recommend it under orders from Sidener. Lacy took Bowcock with him, he declares, to see Judge Mix. They saw the Judge in the corridor outside his chambers and asked him if he would accept the State's recommendation. The Judge said he would, as Lacy tells it.

An was related exclusively in the home edition of yesterday's Post-Dispatch Edgar Maher, who represented Rutherford at the inquest, and was associated with the Rutherford counsel for a short time afterwards, charged Sam Bender with

## LEGAL STRATEGIST.



VERNE R. C. LACY.

having offered to recommend in his capacity of special prosecutor, that Rutherford be let off with a fine if the Rutherford family would pay him \$10,000.

"I told him it was too much money," Maher said, "and to see Judge Henderson. A short while later he came back and asked me if we would settle for \$6,000. 'If you will settle,' he said, 'I will go into open court and recommend a fine as Rutherford's punishment.' I told Bender that we would have to see him make the recommendation before paying him any money."

When asked about Bender's dickerings with defense counsel Lacy said yesterday that Bender told him that the defense felt it had a strong case and the State a weak case, and that the defense was not disposed to compromise on anything but freedom for Rutherford.

"Suit Not Worth a Dime."  
"I told Bender," said Lacy, "that he ought to settle the criminal case. He spoke to me about paying his civil claim for \$10,000 against Rutherford. I told him, 'Sammy, your suit against Rutherford isn't worth a dime. The boy hasn't any money.' Bender was given to understand that the criminal case had to be disposed of first in a way satisfactory to us or we would not settle the civil suit."

Bender denied yesterday that he had anything to do with settlement of the criminal case or did admit that he talked with defense counsel about settlement of the civil case. Later he explained himself in a written statement, denying all of Maher's charges and adding, "I can only account for it by the fact that Mr. Maher is closely and even intimately associated with both the offices of the Circuit Attorney and Mr. William E. Dever, the Deputy Governor who had charge of the Rutherford inquest."

Aaron Waldheim Says He Was Not Interested in the Rutherford Case.  
May 22, 1926.  
Editor of Post-Dispatch.

Dear Sir—I feel your editorial in yesterday's Post-Dispatch does me a great injustice, for, in reading it, one would infer that I was interested in the Rutherford or Tucker family and attempted to control the conduct of Judge Frey, which is absolutely untrue and contrary to fact.

The Post-Dispatch and some other St. Louis papers printed a statement of Judge Frey to the effect that I called him up and told him Mr. Mart Adler and a friend were in to see me and asked me if I knew him. And when I told him I did, they requested that I phone the Judge and ask him to give them a hearing on the Rutherford case.

This is true so far as it goes, but it is only part of my conversation with Judge Frey, for, in addition, I told the Judge at the time I called him on the phone and he told me he was not interested in the case and called him up only because I had been requested to ask him to give them a hearing.

Furthermore, I desire to state that I never knew or met any of the members of either the Rutherford or Tucker families, or any of their attorneys. Nor has anyone ever spoken to me about this case except Mr. Adler and his friend, who, I believe, is Mr. Siegel.

After verifying this statement, I trust you will give it proper publicity and thereby rectify the erroneous impression which your editorial created. Yours truly,  
AARON WALDHEIM.

Robbers Caught, \$20,000 Gone.  
By the Associated Press.  
DETROIT, Mich., May 22.—The Bank of Romulus was robbed of approximately \$20,000 today by three men who later were captured by a posse. The robbers threw away the money as they fled before the villagers and it had not been recovered at noon, although the brush through which the men fled was being carefully searched.

## CITY TO BEGIN PREPARATIONS TO WIDEN OLIVE ST.

Notices Sent Out Today  
Ordering Removal of Buildings on South Side of Street.

PUBLIC HEARING TO  
BE HELD ON PAVING

Supreme Court Decision  
Opens Way to Include Improvement in Program for Next Year.

An advertisement of a public hearing, as required by law, on the paving of the section of Olive street to be widened will appear in the coming issue of the City Journal, following the decision of the Supreme Court of Missouri yesterday, upholding legality of the city's condemnation method.

This decision was of utmost value to the city, clearing the way for this much needed traffic artery, and facilitating condemnation suits pending in Circuit Court on other street opening and widening projects and for acquisition of the Memorial Plaza and municipal auditorium sites.

The city is accepting the Supreme Court's decision as final in going ahead with plans for the physical work in the Olive street improvement, which will extend from Twelfth boulevard to Channing avenue, as a direct connection from Lindell boulevard downtown.

Lambert E. Walther, attorney for property owners who figured as the chief objectors to the city's condemnation method, said he would have to study the Supreme Court opinion before announcing whether the contest would be carried farther. There are nine days left in which to ask a rehearing, but there is doubt whether a rehearing would be granted since all the Justices in banc concurred in the opinion, which was written by Judge Atwood.

Walther was unable to tell whether the fight would be carried to the Supreme Court of the United States if the State's highest court refused to reopen it.

Public Hearing June 22.  
Thomas S. McPheters, attorney for other objectors, announced there would be no appeal on his part but the decision would be accepted as final. He remarked that he "couldn't imagine" how Walther could carry the matter farther.

Henry A. Baker, counsel for two objectors, was not prepared to state his attitude.

The public hearing is expected to be held for June 22. The Board of Aldermen will be in session then, but an ordinance authorizing letting of the paving contract will be introduced shortly after it reconvenes in September. An ordinance creating a taxing district to pay for the paving has been passed.

Notice to the owners of the 40-foot strip on the south side of Olive between Twelfth and Channing to remove structures thereon and fill the collars were sent out today. They will require the work to be undertaken after 90 days. Three months will be needed to complete this. If a property owner does not comply the city will have the work done.

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## WET CANDIDATE IS FOURTH IN OREGON SENATE PRIMARY

L. B. Sandblast Has Only  
8109 Votes for G. O. P.  
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SENATOR STANFIELD  
IS RUNNING SECOND

Woman Democrat for Governor on Modification Platform Apparently Beaten, 2 to 1.

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PORTLAND, Ore., May 22.—Frederick Steiwer, Pendleton grain grower, maintained his substantial lead over Senator Robert N. Stanfield for the Republican nomination for United States Senator as additional returns from yesterday's primary election were tabulated today.

Reports from 1951 precincts out of 1847 in the State gave Steiwer 25,737, Stanfield 17,192, A. W. Clark 11,638, L. B. Sandblast, "wet," 8109; J. J. Crossley 5532, A. R. Shumake 3049, Rose Barrett 1832, C. E. Evey 783.

Steiwer profited from the split of the Republican vote due to the fact that there were eight candidates in the field. Political observers said that the race for the nomination for Senator became free for all among Republicans after the incident at Baker, Ore., a year and a half ago, when Senator Stanfield was arrested on a charge of drunkenness in a cafe. Senator Stanfield never appeared in court to answer the charge.

Senator Stanfield was a supporter of President Coolidge, but that factor did not enter into the campaign.

Bert E. Haney, former member of the Shipping Board, was leader of the Democratic nomination for Governor, according to tabulations from 1955 precincts which gave him 36,269; Jay H. Upton had 22,730 and W. A. Carter 13,694.

Gov. Walter M. Pierce had a big lead over Mrs. Louise Palmer Weber, advocate of prohibition last modification in the race for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination. With 956 precincts reported, Pierce had 11,655, Weber 4713.

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## WILD SHOT BY NEW TRAFFIC COP KILLS BYSTANDER

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duled in "promiscuous revolver shooting." Gerk termed the wounding of Sisler an "unfortunate occurrence" and added:

"This department's responsibility in the matter of protecting and safeguarding the safety interests of the general public is great and no doubt paramount to any other involved. The actions of this officer indicate that he is unable to exercise reasonable judgment in the use of a revolver."

Unwarranted Shooting.  
"Grand boulevard at the point of this occurrence undoubtedly is very busy both from a vehicular and pedestrian traffic point of view. Therefore it appears that if the officer had used reasonable judgment at all, he would have pursued the man on his motorcycle and overtaken him and effected his arrest without resort to use of his revolver at all, and under no circumstances would he have been justified in resorting to his revolver for so trivial an offense as the nonobservance of a traffic signal."

"I therefore recommend that Probationary Patrolman John Gerk be dropped from the rolls before he has an opportunity to further embarrass this department."

Arrested at Station.  
Not knowing that he had been dismissed or that Sisler had died, Gerk visited the Deer Street Police Station at 8 a. m. today and discussed the case with Capt. Dineen. While he was there a message was sent to all police districts asking that Gerk be arrested charged with homicide and held for the coroner.

"My God, did that man die?" exclaimed Gerk when told by Capt. Dineen that he was under arrest. He was locked up until he furnished \$5000 bond to appear at the inquest Monday.

2,000,000 GERMANS SIGN  
PETITIONS FOR LOCAL OPTION  
Two Hundred Bales of Paper to Be Taken in Reichstag for the Debate.

By the Associated Press.  
BERLIN, May 22.—Petitions bearing 2,000,000 signatures asking for the adoption of a local option law, have been delivered to President Paul Loebe of the National Committee for Local Option.

Two hundred bales, each containing 10,000 signatures, were unloaded in Loebe's private chambers, where they will rest until the Reichstag begins discussion of the Government's bill for liquor reform. They then will be placed on the table of the Reichstag.

Two Boys Burned to Death.  
COSHOCOTON, O., May 22.—Two sons of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas English, aged 4 and 2 years, were burned to death today when their home caught fire from an overheated coal stove. The parents were away when the fire started. The home was destroyed.

Richmond (Mo.) Banker Indicted.  
By the Associated Press.  
RICHMOND, Mo., May 22.—S. L. Bay, former treasurer of the defunct Richmond Trust Co., yesterday was indicted by the grand jury. The indictment charged forgery on five counts. Bay was in court with his attorneys and 17 bondsman, who provided bond of \$25,000.

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## ALLOWS INSURANCE ON STOLEN WHISKY

Supreme Court Rejects Company's Defense That Owner Held It Illegally.

By the Jefferson City Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, May 22.—Herman Kistenmacher of St. Louis is entitled to receive \$3000 in burglary insurance on two barrels of whisky stolen from the basement of his home Oct. 29, 1920, under an opinion handed down yesterday by State Supreme Court en banc, quashing a writ of certiorari it had issued, and thereby permitting record of the St. Louis Court of Appeals affirming a judgment for Kistenmacher to stand.

The Travelers' Indemnity Co., which insured the whisky, opposed payment of the claim on the assertion that Kistenmacher had acquired it in violation of the war-time prohibition act and therefore had no insurable title.

Judge Graves, who wrote the opinion, held the case was before the court on the question of whether there were conflicts in the ruling by the Appellate Court.

He said the Supreme Court never had construed the war-time prohibition act, and until it did, the Court of Appeals had a clear field for its own views of the law.

"We do not care to go further than to say we find no conflict between the opinion of the St. Louis Court of Appeals and our cases," Judge Graves wrote.

Kistenmacher said he obtained the two barrels of whisky Jan. 16, 1920, from a brother-in-law, in payment of a \$3000 loan. He acquired the whisky while the war-time prohibition act was in effect and just before the Volstead act became effective.

"The war-time prohibition act did not declare that no title should pass to whisky bought in violation of its terms," Judge Graves wrote, "but merely provided a penalty."

Kills Former Wife and Husband.  
By the Associated Press.  
KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 22.—Albert Hicks, a carpenter, last night shot and killed his former wife and Martin Erickson. The shooting took place on the floor of a rooming house, in view of pedestrians. Hicks, later, after being arrested, said his wife never had obtained a divorce, though police found a marriage certificate indicating she had married Erickson. He said he had in self-defense.

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## ATTORNEY - GENERAL WILL INVESTIGATE RUTHERFORD CASE

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J. Nangle, Arnold Just and William R. Gilbert.

The action taken follows several days of discussion as to the best method of procedure. Circuit Attorney Sidener, who had previously declared the Rutherford case a "closed incident," attempted this week to start a grand jury inquiry into the expenditure of \$14,500 to settle the case. The grand jurors refused to proceed under the Circuit Attorney's direction, holding that he was involved in the inquiry. They consulted Judge Mix, who did not outline any definite way for them to proceed. In the grand jury's presence, the Circuit Attorney charged that Judge Mix made a private agreement with the Rutherford lawyers for the settlement of the case, a charge which the Judge denied emphatically from the bench.

In such a case, the statutes provide for a hearing in the nature of a civil proceeding, and the wording of the statutes does not indicate that the grand jury has any part. Such a case, it appears from the wording, would be conducted by the court as a petit jury, impeded in the usual way.

It was pointed out yesterday that the Supreme Court upheld the appointment of a special investigator, Robert Roessel, by Circuit Judge Wurdeman of St. Louis County to conduct a grand jury investigation of Adam Henry Jones, prosecuting attorney of that county, in 1924. Jones was not removed or suspended, but conducted the office while Roessel directed an investigation of him, resulting in misdemeanor indictments, which later were dismissed on technical grounds not connected with the question of Roessel's authority.

Attorney-General Has Held Several Important Positions.  
By the Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, May 22.—Irene Baker, widow of Frank Crimmins, lawyer and gangster, was taken into custody by police today on her arrival from Detroit, Mich.

Clad in deep mourning, she denied she had anything important to impart. "I know very little of Frank's affairs," she asserted, "and returned to Chicago without a word to him. He was cheerful and did not mention that he was worried or afraid."

Bricklayers Sign Old Scale.  
By the Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, May 22.—The bricklayers and masons' union has signed a one-year agreement with the associated builders at the old wage scale of \$1.50 an hour. About 3000 workmen are affected. For years the bricklayers have set the wage rate in the building industry here and other trades are expected to sign new agreements soon, virtually assuring tranquil labor conditions here for a year.

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A STATEMENT  
TO  
THE PUBLIC

I feel my name has been mentioned at various times in news items and editorials in the Rutherford case in such a way as to lead some people to believe that I have been actively interested in this case, hence this statement:

Some St. Louis newspapers reported that Judge Frey made the statement that I called him up and told him Mr. Mart Adler and a friend were in to see me and asked if I knew him and when I told them I did, they requested that I phone and ask him to give them a hearing on the Rutherford case.

This is true so far as it goes, but it is only part of my conversation with Judge Frey, for in addition to the above, I told Judge Frey at the time I called him on the phone that I knew nothing about the Rutherford case except what Adler and his friend told me, that I was not interested in the case and called him up only because I had been requested to ask him to give them a hearing.

(Judge Frey tells me he gave this additional information to newspaper reporters, but it has never been published.)

I also desire to state that I never knew or met any of the members of either the Rutherford or Tucker families, or any of their attorneys. Nor has anyone ever spoken to me regarding the Rutherford case except Mr. Adler and his friend, who I believe is Mr. Siegel.

Respectfully,  
AARON WALDHEIM

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## BUDER GIVES TWO LOTS TO CITY

Property Will Be Used to Increase Space for Proposed Community House.

lots adjoining the south corner of Ewing avenue and city street were given to the city by G. A. Buder, attorney and publisher of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, in commemoration of the ninth birthday anniversary of his mother, the late Mrs. Buder. He had previously the corner lot to the city and a community house on Ewing avenue, between the street and the railroad tracks, which he donated several years ago. The new gift is an enlarged lot.

Park Department intends to use the lot to erect the building with bond issue money. A house probably will be in on Hickory street for a house, but this ground likely used for three tennis courts.

## GANGSTER'S WIFE HELD

Accused That She Has Anything Important to Impart.

AGO, May 22.—Irene Bawlow, wife of a gangster, was taken into custody today on her arrest in Detroit, Mich.

In deep mourning, she denied having anything important to say. "I knew very little of affairs," she asserted. "I was in Chicago with him, but he turned that evening to Detroit and he was cheerful and did not that he was worried or

## PLAYERS SIGN OLD SCALE

Bricklayers' Union Has Signed Agreement with the As-Builders at the Old Scale.

AGO, May 22.—The bricklayers' union has signed an agreement with the as-builders at the old scale of \$1.50 an hour. About 100 bricklayers have signed the agreement, which is the first in the building industry. Other trades are expected to sign agreements soon, vowing to maintain labor control for a year.

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## RAGE

AND FURS AT 20% MINIMUM CHARGE 50c UNTIL DELIVERED

## REAL WINE, REAL GIRL AT CARROLL'S PARTY, JURY TOLD

Newspaper Men Testify They Saw Actress Enter Bath From Which Men Drank Liquor.

PRODUCER ASKED HIM TO STAY, SAYS EDITOR

Also Gave Him Permission to Use Story—Witness and Attorney Argue Over Labels on Bottles.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 22.—Five witnesses agreed yesterday on what Earl Carroll's white enamel bathtub contained. It was: First, champagne, and, secondly, the undraped body of Joyce Hawley.

Three days after Carroll's birthday party at the Earl Carroll Theatre, Feb. 26 last, the Federal grand jury inquired about the contents of the bathtub on the stage. Carroll explained it held ginger ale and nothing more. For this reason, Carroll now is being tried before Federal Judge Henry W. Goddard for perjury. The penalty for conviction may be five years in Federal prison.

Exactly how Miss Hawley arrived in the bathtub was told in detail by each of the five witnesses. One of them, Philip Payne, managing editor of the Daily Mirror, gave his opinion of why. He said that between 3 and 4 o'clock in the morning he told the "Vintages" producer he was going home.

Promised a "Wow of a Stunt." Q. What did Mr. Carroll say to you? A. He said, "Don't go. I am going to put on a wow of a stunt. I'm going to have a girl in the tub of wine." I asked him if I might print the story, and he said: "Go as far as you like."

The first witness to tell of Miss Hawley's descent into the tub was the assistant night city editor of the Mirror, Arthur Irwin.

Q. At what time was the tub moved from the right of the stage to the center of it? A. About 4 or 4:30 o'clock in the morning.

Q. Did you see anyone get into the bathtub? A. I did.

Q. Who was it? Was it a man or woman? A. A woman.

Q. Who was she? A. I didn't know then.

Q. Do you know now? A. Yes.

Q. Who was it? A. Miss Joyce Hawley.

Q. Was Carroll there then? A. Yes, standing at the left of the bathtub.

Q. Where were you when she got into the tub? A. At the center of the auditorium.

Undressed Behind Cloak. Q. Tell us what you saw? A. I saw a girl come out from the wings and someone called for a cloak.

Q. Was Miss Hawley undressed then? A. She came out in a chemise or something of that sort.

Q. Did anyone hold a cloak before her? A. Yes, Mr. Carroll did.

Q. Are you sure of that? A. Positive.

Q. And the girl got into the tub? A. Yes, she did.

Q. Was any announcement made then? A. Yes.

Q. By whom? A. By Mr. Carroll. He said, "The line forms on this side."

Q. Then what happened? A. Fifteen or 20 men with glasses in their hands got up from the audience and went up to the tub on the stage.

Q. How long was the young lady in the tub? A. About 15 or 20 minutes.

Q. Did she sit down in the tub? A. Yes.

Q. How much of her body could you see? A. From a little below her shoulders upward.

Girl in Tub When It Was Removed. Q. Did you see her get out of the tub? A. No, the tub was pushed to the rear of the stage behind some curtains, and that was the last I saw of it.

Q. Was she still in the tub when it was pushed off? A. She was.

Irwin also said he distinctly remembered the name on the labels of the bottles. He spelled out the name P-o-l R-o-g-e-r-t. There came a question involving an R and A and pronunciation of French.

"Why, don't you know," defense counsel asked, "that the real champagne of that name is spelled P-o-l R-o-g-e-r-t?"

"No sir."

A nonintoxicating beverage called "Pol Roget champagne" is sold to the market. The pronunciation is the same as that of the alcoholic brand.

The four men who followed Irwin repeated in the main, the same story. Paul F. Lubben, a reporter for the Mirror, testified: A Miss Hawley stood at the side of the stage in a chemise. She came out to the bathtub and Carroll asked someone to hand him an opera cape. One was passed up to him from the first row of the orchestra. He held it in front

## Carroll's Wife With Him to Court



Earl Carroll, theatrical producer, photographed with his wife in Federal Court at New York, where he is on trial on a prohibition charge as the result of his "bathtub" birthday party.

of Miss Hawley. She took off her chemise and stepped in.

"The Line Forms on the Right." Q. Did you see her undress? A. Yes.

Q. Did she have anything on? A. No.

Q. How long was she in the bathtub? A. From five to eight minutes.

Q. Was any announcement made? A. Yes, Carroll said: "The line forms on the right," and 15 men went up on the stage.

Robert Bruce Coleman Jr., dramatic critic of the Mirror, added that Miss Hawley's original costume had been light brown in color and the opera cloak which shielded her as she undressed was green. He testified on cross-examination that Miss Hawley was "clearly visible" when she got into the tub.

A. There was no doubt it was a female figure getting into the bathtub.

Q. In other words, you think the cloak was dropped too soon? A. I did not say that.

It was brought out that the as-yet unidentified liquid, in which Miss Hawley sat in the bathtub, was completely opaque, so that once she was in the tub, only her head and shoulders were visible.

"So you see," Herbert C. Smith, defense counsel, remarked, "the party was as modest as it could be."

Came to See Lady Cathcart. Thursday it was brought out that Miss Hawley was not a regular member of the Earl Carroll musical comedy companies. She had been hired to appear in a tableau a week before the party.

The appearance of four members of the staff of the Daily Mirror as witnesses was explained by the presence at Earl Carroll's party of Vera, Lady Cathcart. Irwin and Lubben had been assigned to accompany her. Payne said he went to the party to consult Lady Cathcart on business. Coleman was there in his capacity as dramatic critic. Carroll, it will be recalled, produced "Ashes," a play of which Lady Cathcart was the author and star.

Carroll's spirits yesterday rose visibly as he sat throughout the trial beside his wife and most of the time he was smiling.

All witnesses were excluded from the courtroom. There were only one or two women in the scanty audience which Judge Goddard permitted to remain in the courtroom. No women were noticed in the crowd which filled the corridor outside.

CHARGES AGAINST LIEUTENANT DISMISSED BY POLICE BOARD

A record of 40 years' efficient police duty outweighed charges of disobedience of orders and neglect of duty in the case of Police Lieutenant John J. McMullen, who appeared before the Board of Police Commissioners yesterday for the first time in his career to answer charges.

The commissioners expressed disapproval of Lieut. McMullen's action in releasing 14 men who were arrested May 4 by a motorcycle policeman for driving near automobiles from factory to a dealer's showroom without "in transit" tags issued by the Secretary of State, but dismissed the charges and directed that McMullen be reprimanded by Capt. Martin O'Brien, his superior officer in the Police Bureau.

Lieut. McMullen justified his action, which was contrary to an order issued by Chief of Police Gerk, by declaring he believed there had been no willful violation by the drivers of the cars.

Rifle Wound Causes Infection.

Infection of a wound from a small caliber rifle caused Michael Colvin, 18 years old, a chauffeur of 1233 South Vandeventer avenue, to be taken to City Hospital last night in a serious condition.

The wound is in the left hand and was suffered May 13. Colvin said when a rifle was accidentally discharged while a party of friends were target practice near Rolla, Mo. He was treated by a physician at Rolla at the time.

## \$7,000,000 DUE INSURANCE POLICY HOLDERS IN STATE

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cuit Judge Henry Westhues overruled the motion.

A contempt of court judgment against Superintendent Hyde, in connection with another rate reduction order, still is pending in Supreme Court, on an application by his attorneys for a writ of prohibition to restrain Cole County Circuit Court from enforcing the judgment.

While litigation over the 10 per cent reduction order was pending, Hyde issued another reduction order in November, 1925. On complaint of attorneys for the companies the Circuit Court adjudged Hyde in contempt of court on the ground that in issuing the later order he had violated the terms of injunction previously issued against him. The court fixed his fine at \$100 a day until he revoked the order of November, 1925. Hyde declared he would not revoke the order and his attorneys carried the case into Supreme Court on December 19, with an application for a writ of prohibition.

Cost of the rate case is expected to reach \$100,000. The 1925 Legislature appropriated \$40,000 for carrying on the case and the 1926 Legislature appropriated \$20,000 more. Attorneys for the State are former Attorney-General John T. Parker and Floyd E. Jacobs of Kansas City. Former Supreme Judge John I. Williamson of Kansas City, who was referee in the case while it was in Circuit Court, was allowed a fee of \$20,000.

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Dr. Davis was a graduate of Washington University and was in charge of the skin and cancer clinic at St. Louis University. He is survived by his widow, Edna, and a year-old daughter, Dorothy. The funeral will be held this afternoon from an undertaking chapel at 2707 North Grand boulevard. Burial will be in Valhalla Cemetery.

OPPOSE ALCOHOL TEXTBOOK PARKERSBURG, W. Va., May 22.—Removal from the chemistry course in the Williamson High School of a textbook in which is described the distillation of alcohol has been sought by the Williamson council of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics.

A resolution asking the book's removal and addressed to the district board of education said it "teaches facts contrary to the laws of our State concerning the manufacture of intoxicating beverages."

The school board took no action.

Police Seek Missing Girl.

Police have been asked to search for Miss Alvina Warshaw, 22 years old, who left her home at 7903 Michigan avenue last Saturday and has not been heard from since. She is described as blond and weighing about 125 pounds. She was wearing a green hat and a light dress when she left.

## R. R. WHITEMORE IS CONVICTED ON MURDER CHARGE

Robbery Gang Leader Spits in Prosecutor's Face and Wife Faints—Fate Is Up to Judge.

By the Associated Press.

BALTIMORE, Md., May 22.—Richard Reese Whitmore, head of a gang of jewelry thieves, and confessed slayer, spat in the face of the young State's Attorney, his prosecutor, after a jury had found him guilty of the murder of Robert H. Holtzman, Maryland penitentiary guard. The jury gave Judge O'Dunne authority, if he sees fit, to send Whitmore to the gallows.

Whitmore's only plea was self-defense. He testified that he encountered Holtzman on the prison stairs. He said the guard threw him down and that as he fell his hand fell on an iron pipe. He struck Holtzman in the face and Holtzman was going to kill him, Whitmore declared. Holtzman died of the blow Feb. 22, 1925.

Under Maryland law the jury could not condemn Whitmore to death. Had they seen fit they could have reported against capital punishment, but they did not. Judge O'Dunne may sentence the slayer for life or he may hang him.

As Jury Foreman J. H. Bauer arose to read the verdict, Mrs. Margaret Whitmore, wife of the slayer, swooned on her feet. As Bauer spoke she fell unconscious in the arms of her father-in-law, John Rawlings Whitmore, and a few minutes later was ordered taken from the room by Judge O'Dunne, when her moanings disturbed the court procedure.

Whitmore emerged violently from the stoicism that had carried him through two days, a recital of a strange mixture of petty outrage and cold-blooded crime. As he was being led from the courtroom back to his isolated cell he was guarded by two men.

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## MRS. CASTLEMAN'S ESTATE VALUED AT \$842,000

Personal Property of Late Daughter of Philander Cable Inventoried at \$717,000.

By the Associated Press.

Mrs. Lucie Cable Castleman, 70 years old, widow of Judge George A. Castleman and daughter of Philander Cable, once president of the Rock Island Railroad, who died Feb. 24, left an estate inventoried at \$842,515.65.

The inventory, filed in Probate Court yesterday, lists personal property valued at \$717,515.65 and real estate valued at \$125,000. The Castleman residence at 3633 Lindell boulevard is appraised at \$75,000 and an estate at Rye Beach, N. H., at \$50,000.

Two Relatives Main Heirs.

A niece, Mrs. Suzanne Cable Mackay of 3630 Lindell boulevard, and a nephew, Philander Cable of Rock Island, Ill., who is secretary of the American Embassy at Sofia, Bulgaria, are executors and principal beneficiaries of the estate under Mrs. Castleman's will, filed March 8. The will was dated Jan. 26 and provided for the forfeiture of the inheritance of any beneficiary who contested its terms.

Mrs. Castleman willed \$5000 each to Christ Church Cathedral, St. Luke's Hospital and the Rev. Henry Watson Mizner. The latter's wife was willed an income from certain stocks and bonds. In addition to a previous gift of stock, she was formerly Mrs. Margot Postlewhite and lived as an adopted daughter with Mrs. Castleman at the Lindell boulevard address until she married the Rev. Mizner and gave up her fine home to live in the parish house of St. Stephen's Mission at 602 Rutger street. The Rev. Mr. Mizner has resigned as pastor of St. Stephen's.

Each servant employed by Mrs. Castleman for a year or more was remembered in her will to the extent of \$100 and a month's wages.

Several Fine Paintings.

The personal property left by Mrs. Castleman included stocks valued at \$435,321.30; bonds, \$116,450.16; goods and chattels, \$35,067.76; and cash, \$568.43.

Paintings valued at approximately \$25,000 are among the home furnishings inventoried. Among the paintings are ones described as Van Dyck's "Earl of Arundel," valued at \$3500; Corot's "La Charette," \$2500; and Mesdag's "Fishing Boats," \$2500.

Stocks are listed at par value, and non-par-value stocks are listed at market prices. The stocks and values follow: National Cash Co., \$56,500; Colorado Fuel and Iron Co., \$55,000; United States Steel Corporation, \$20,000; Chicago Railway Equipment Co., \$65,550; Missouri Portland Cement Co., \$31,500; United Railways, preferred, \$10,000; American Telephone and Telegraph Co., \$63,000; Scullin Steel Co., \$2500; Laclede Steel Co., \$8800; Fulton Iron Works, \$35,395; American Car and Foundry Co., \$65,000; and New York Air-brake Co., \$10,000.

FORMER DRY AGENT GETS LIFE FOR KILLING WIFE

Colorado Man's Defense Was That She Died From Effects of Liqueur Drank.

By the Associated Press.

BRIGHTON, Colo., May 22.—Virgil A. Massie, former State prohibition agent, was found guilty last night of the murder of his wife at their Lakewood (Colo.) home on Feb. 1. The verdict carries a penalty of life imprisonment. Defense counsel was granted 15 days in which to file briefs asking for a new trial.

The State charged Massie poisoned his wife, Mrs. Rene Divilbess, formerly of Holbrook, Ariz., a friend of Massie, was named as co-defendant with Massie. Mrs. Divilbess has not yet been tried. She and Massie admitted on the witness stand that their relations had been intimate. Both denied plotting Mrs. Massie's death.

Massie maintained his wife died from the effects of liquor which they drank. It made them both ill, he said, and he lay unconscious in bed 12 hours with his wife's body beside him after the liquor sent him into a stupor. Other witnesses testified that he tried to get into the house during the time he claimed he was unconscious.

Mrs. Massie's body was exhumed several weeks ago at Carthage, Ill., their former home. Examination of the viscera revealed traces of poison, State witnesses said.

\$250 Sued Missing From Suit.

When J. M. Laughlin of 2444 Lafayette avenue, a railroad conductor, sent his uniform to the cleaners early in the week he forgot to remove a diamond stud valued at \$250 from a vest pocket. When the suit was returned yesterday, he told the police, the stud was not in the pocket. No one at the cleaners had seen the stud, police were told.

Manager of Stage Stars Dies.

NEW YORK, May 22.—William Wood, theatrical manager, is dead of a heart here from a paralytic stroke. Many stage favorites appeared under his direction, including Weber and Fields, Lillian Russell and Anna Held. He was born in England 50 years ago.

## Jefferson Barracks Show Draws Best Horses in City

Finest Mounts in St. Louis Displayed at Annual Military and Civilian Event; Fox Chase Held This Morning.

The finest horses that St. Louis can offer were gathered at Jefferson Barracks yesterday afternoon and put through their paces at the opening of the fifth annual Military and Civilian Horse Show. The performance of men and horses was all that could be wished. There were no untoward accidents or delays, and an appreciative audience which filled half the box and grandstand seats, cheered the performers on to their best efforts.

An agreeable afternoon, so far as weather was concerned, contributed to the success of the opening of the show.

The show, as in the past, is limited to entries by St. Louis owners, and animals from the Barracks.

The animal events were opened by four talented men riding army saddle mules with regular equipment. They put their steeds through a walk, trot and gallop. "Chick," ridden by Sergeant M. Nolan, won the blue ribbon.

Jane Armbruster, 12 years old, took first award with her "Columbia Cole," as she did last year in the harness pony class.

The spectators held their breath during the touch and out event in which 13 riders attempted to take their mounts over four-foot rail jumps. All but one disqualified by touching more than two rails, and the only winner was Stewart McDonald's "Big Mack."

Potato Race Amuses Crowd.

The winner in the three-gaited saddle horse class, shown in hand, was "Dainty Miss," owned by D. B. Smith; in the five-gaited saddle horse class, under 15 hands, was "Virginia Lee Rose," also owned by Smith; in the officers' charger class, "Robin," owned by Maj. T. C. Smart; in the fine harness class, "Lady Darc," owned by L. Wade Childress; in the three-

gaited saddle horse class, over 15 hands, "Ethel King," owned by A. N. Engle; in the five-gaited saddle horse class, geldings, "Hunter's Chief," by Paul Bakewell; in the five-gaited saddle horse class, mares, "Golden Ruth," owned by D. B. Smith; and in the stallion class, "Rex Lee Rose," owned by Holtcamp and Brown.























EDITORIAL

SENATORS ASSAIL NEW DRY ORDER OF PRESIDENT AS INVALID

Missouri officials prohibited from acting under new dry order. Missouri is one of the States mentioned by President Coolidge as "having constitutional or statutory provision against State officers holding office under the Federal Government." The President's order, providing for the deputizing of local officers to aid in national prohibition enforcement, does not apply to states having such constitutional or statutory provisions.

WALSH THINKS ORDER IS LEGAL

King asks if officials could cross state lines to enforce fourteenth amendment. The order is officially entitled an amendment to an executive order signed by President Grant in 1873, during the readjustment period after the Civil War.

FISHER, DRY, 15,344 IN LEAD IN PENNSYLVANIA PRIMARY

Gubernatorial candidate of Mellon faction of G. O. P. Beats E. E. Beldeman. Philadelphia, May 22.—Complete but unofficial returns from Tuesday's primary election show today that John S. Fisher, candidate of the Mellon faction of the Republican party for the gubernatorial nomination, a lead of 15,344 over Edward E. Beldeman, supported by the Vane wing.

CULBERTSON SAYS HARDING FAVORED THE SUGAR INQUIRY

Desired, However, That His Connection With Tariff Investigations Have No Publicity. Coolidge inherited 'A Bad Situation' McCumber, Co-Author of 1922 Tariff Act Spoke for Louisiana Sugar Interests.

By CHARLES G. ROSS, Chief Washington Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch. WASHINGTON, May 21.—William S. Culbertson, Minister to Rumania, former Vice Chairman of the United States Tariff Commission, testifying again today before the Senate committee investigating the Commission, told of the influences brought to bear upon President Harding in an effort to check scientific inquiries that might result in a lowering of the high tariff rates.

WOOD REPORTS \$11,500,000 SURPLUS FOR PHILIPPINES

Revenues for Year Ending Last Dec. 31 Exceed Expenses by \$5,754,500. WASHINGTON, May 22.—The excess of revenues over expenditures of the insular government of the Philippines for the year ending Dec. 31 last was \$11,500,000 pesos (about \$5,754,500) as compared with \$1,711,000 (\$4,085,500) for the preceding year. Gov. Gen. Leonard Wood disclosed in his annual report made public by the Bureau of Insular Affairs.

REWARD FOR MISSING BOY

Little Rock Woman Seeks to Locate Raymond Darwin, 15. A reward of \$25 has been offered for information leading to the location of Raymond Darwin, 15-year-old high school student of Little Rock, Ark., who disappeared May 10. The reward will be paid by Mrs. Clara Darwin, 239 Park avenue, mother of the boy.

MEXICAN BISHOP TO BE TRIED

MEXICO CITY, May 22.—Dispatches from Tulancingo, Hidalgo State, say Bishop Zarate of Tulancingo arrived there yesterday en route to Pachuca for trial. He is charged with violating provisions of the Constitution in a recent pastoral letter.

BRUCE'S PROTESTING SPEECH

Senator Bruce cited the recent declaration by the President of the necessity of the states retaining their sovereign powers. "What a pity," he exclaimed, "that the author of these sentiments should not be more loyal and more faithful to his own professed convictions."

TACNA-ARICA AWARD SATISFIES CHILE, PARLIAMENT IS TOLD

SANTIAGO, Chile, May 22.—Chilean Parliament opened this afternoon with the customary ceremony. President Figueroa, in his message, said peace and order prevailed throughout Chile. Regarding Tacna-Arica, he said:

DR. CONDE BENOIST Pallen MADE ST. GREGORY KNIGHT

NEW YORK, May 22.—Dr. Conde Benoist Pallen, editor and publisher of the Catholic Encyclopedia, and author of several volumes of poetry and literary essays, has been made a Knight of St. Gregory by Pope Pius XI. He was invested by Cardinal Hayes, at the latter's home, 452 Madison avenue, in the presence of his staff.

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This picture shows Pilsudski's troops firing from a trench in the streets of the Polish capital during the recent revolt.

BALDWIN'S PLAN TO END COAL STRIKE REJECTED

Miners Decline to Accept Increased Hours or Lower Wages — Owners for 8-Hour Day.

SUBSIDY OFFER TO BE WITHDRAWN

Thousands of Miners March to Relief Offices to Protest Against Reduction of Doles.

LONDON, May 22.—Proposals of Premier Baldwin looking to a settlement of the coal strike have been rejected by both the miners and the mine owners. First, the miners declined to accept increased hours of work or a reduction in wages. Next, the mine owners have announced that they are opposed to Government interference with the industry and insist that the only real remedy for the situation is the adoption of the eight-hour day.

Thus the lockout and strike in the coal mines will continue for a time at least. The rejection of the Baldwin plan means the withdrawal of the promise of a Government subsidy of £3,000,000. The miners' federation has requested the railway union not to handle coal. The miners themselves have further reduced their train service because of their inability to secure fuel. The strike in the mines already is affecting other industries seriously.

Relief Doles Cut Down. In Wales Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire, thousands of miners have marched to protest against the cutting down of relief doles to their families. In many instances single men demand doles, but this was refused by the poor law guardians who maintained that they could not legally give relief to such men as they might return to work if they chose.

At Newport the marchers were met by a man who read a proclamation from the Mayor and Chief Constable to the effect that they would not be allowed to go to the workhouse. Demands for the distribution of relief in the shape of bread and cheese also were refused. In some places persons in Newport sent donations of hundreds of loaves and many pounds of cheese. In all the demonstrations the men were orderly.

In South Wales bread, cheese and coffee are being served the strikers from unlicensed kitchens. Thousands of children in the Rhondda and other districts, with cup in hand, are to be seen making their way to places where they can receive food, while mothers besigue milk distribution places, babies in arms making their way to the kitchens. Large numbers of the children are ragged and shoes of most of them in the schools are bad. Strikers in the places are turning cobbles and repairing old shoes collected by villagers.

GREEK-AMERICAN SCHOOL TO BE ESTABLISHED AT ATHENS

English Will Be Used for Instruction in Classical and Commercial Studies. ATHENS, Greece, May 22.—A decree published today authorizes the foundation of a Greek-American school to be called Athens College. It will consist of three preparatory and four ordinary classes for classical and commercial studies. English will be the medium of instruction.

Certificates issued by the school will be valid for admission to Athens University and its Greek teachers will have the same rights as those of the public schools. This is the first time such privileges have been conceded to any private school. A lease for a site near Psychiko, outside Athens, is to be signed Monday.

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William F. Carroll, representing the Alhambra, filed a petition for receivership, claiming that the hotel was insolvent. The action was described by Carroll as a "friendly" case of involuntary bankruptcy, filed with the knowledge and consent of all concerned.



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## THE POST-DISPATCH PLAT-FORM.

I know that my retirement will make no difference in its cardinal principles, that it will always fight for progress and reform, never tolerate injustice or corruption, always fight demagogues of all parties, never belong to any party, always oppose privileged classes and public plunderers, never lack sympathy with the poor, always remain devoted to the public welfare, never be satisfied with merely printing news, always be drastically independent, never be afraid to attack wrong, whether by predatory plutocracy or predatory poverty.

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## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

### Protection of Feeble-Minded.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I HAVE read with much interest the editorial in your paper of May 19 on "The Pyromaniac," and I can not refrain from expressing my commendation for your broad and comprehensive view of such distorted personalities as William Kaufman possesses.

I am indeed sorry that our legal provisions render it impossible for us to assure ourselves of juries who have sufficient understanding of the mental factors involved in criminal acts that a more humane and intelligent disposition would result when such problems are before them for consideration.

We, who have an opportunity to observe over a considerable period of time and make a careful study of some individuals guilty of misdeeds, appreciate the inadequacy of penal incarceration for such persons.

A sentence in our State has to be of a determinate character and this means that an individual so disposed of, if he be suffering from mental disease or deficiency, comes back to the community after a certain period worse off for his experiences, not because of resentment for society as you have so intelligently pointed out, but because of the persistence of his psychopathic state and a lack of control of energy that is cumulative in him.

I hope that some time in the near future it will be possible to have an individual's responsibility for crime decided on an impartial basis by expert individuals where the court which represents the community has provided for such decision and all possibility of bias is thereby removed.

Partisan employment of experts and decisions based upon medical facts by juries of lay persons can only continue to result in the miscarriage of justice.

This is not the only time you have devoted an effort to the shaping of public opinion and the enlightenment of our community in regard to the value of psychiatric examinations, and I assure you your influence succeeds more than you probably realize in establishing a constructive viewpoint in the minds of people.

DR. WILLIAM NELSON,  
Director Psychiatric Clinic.

### Publicity Their Only Hope.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

FOR several years the church women of St. Louis under the auspices of the Board of Religious Organizations have been visiting the courts almost daily and have been making a definite study of court conditions with a view of better understanding the causes of delinquency and crime among the young people.

They have noticed how difficult it is to obtain a conviction in the more serious offenses and have observed that the cause seems to be the ease with which a clever lawyer can obtain continuances and delays through technicalities. Publicity such as the press is giving to the Rutherford case is our only hope of remedying the evil. We heartily commend your action. The service which you are rendering St. Louis in exposing to criticism those officials who fail in their duty is the first step towards better things.

CHAIRMAN OF DEPARTMENT OF PROTECTION, BOARD OF RELIGIOUS ORGANIZATIONS.

### Judge Frey's Commendable Attitude.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I HAVE been reading with much interest your strong editorial comment and the sound facts in your news column concerning the Rutherford case.

The Post-Dispatch is to be commended warmly by the citizens of St. Louis for its unceasing vigilance in getting all the facts in this case and thereby creating public opinion in the nation. It is a safe conclusion that Circuit Attorney Sidener and Circuit Judge Mix have proven their unfitness for the respective positions they now hold, by their erratic actions in this case. This unfortunate miscarriage of justice, however, has in an indirect manner given the public at large its first opportunity to observe the fine caliber of man it has in the person of Circuit Judge Frey, who happily demonstrated his sound legal ability in an earlier connection with the Rutherford case.

C. F. HAYEMAN.

### The Right of Way.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

THE St. Louis Safety Council is to be commended for its acknowledgment that most of the automobile deaths and accidents happen at street intersections, and that the motorists are to blame.

There is absolutely no excuse for an automobile driver in the city, anyone, as he only has to look in front of his machine and when he sees anyone in his path he should stop or slow up sufficiently to let the person get out of danger.

Every automobile driver should always remember that every person injured or killed by an auto was on the spot first and is therefore entitled to every protection. No automobile driver has any right to run over a person who was on the spot first and every such driver should be imprisoned and made to pay heavy damages to the victim or his heirs.

SQUARE DEAL.

## GOV. BAKER ACTS.

Gov. Baker is to be commended for acting promptly after his return to Jefferson City on the appeals of the Chamber of Commerce and the Bar Association to instruct Attorney-General Gentry to take charge of the grand jury for the investigation of the Rutherford case.

Gov. Baker's action is in the interest of law and order and the effective administration of justice. It places the investigation of the Rutherford outrage in the hands of the grand jury under the direction of the Attorney-General's office, removed from any connection with any official connected with or interested in the Rutherford mess.

A new and important phase of the case is brought to light by the statement of Verne R. C. Lacy, an attorney for Rutherford, that Judge Mix, in advance, in a private interview with Rutherford attorneys, agreed to accept Circuit Attorney Sidener's recommendation that Rutherford be fined \$500 on a plea of guilty to manslaughter. Lacy declares that this agreement was made several days in advance of the final disposition of the case, and that there were two conferences, in one of which Judge Mix entered into the agreement, and in the other confirmed the agreement. He says that he, Lacy, and former Probate Judge W. W. Henderson, chief of the Rutherford defense counsel, who handled the Rutherford funds, were present with Judge Mix in one of the conferences.

Mr. Lacy says further that A. Samuel Bender, who played the dual role of special prosecutor and damage suit attorney, was the go-between in the arrangement of the case with the Circuit Attorney's office for the Rutherford family. Bender was the man, he says, who told him about the Circuit Attorney's agreement about the \$500 fine on a plea of guilty. This statement of Lacy is in direct contradiction of Judge Mix's statement in answer to Sidener's charge that he had agreed in advance of the trial to accept the \$500 fine recommendation.

Further comment on this phase of the case seems unnecessary. It places Judge Mix and Circuit Attorney Sidener on the same level with regard to the agreement to let Rutherford go with a fine. It emphasizes the necessity of a thorough investigation to ascertain the truth and the whole truth.

This is one of the many phases of the case which call for searching inquiry which will bring out all the facts and lay the foundation for the exposure and punishment of all who have been guilty of wrongdoing, and for the cleaning up of the administration of justice in connection with the prosecution of criminals in this city.

The responsibility for effective action now rests with the grand jury and the Attorney General.

### WHAT, INDEED?

As of today, Russell Scott is a sane man. Last week he was insane. A few months ago, when he was being tried for murder, he was sane. Just before he was to be hanged in Chicago an obliging Judge opened his court at 2 a. m. ordered a sanity hearing and deferred the execution. A jury found, as was contended, that he had become insane since his trial. In the near future, another jury will pass on the question. This may seem a bit incoherent, but it is no more incoherent than the facts.

We shall try, however, to make it a bit clearer. At his first hearing for sanity a set of alienists employed by Scott testified that he was, to say the least, cuckoo. The jury believed them and sent Scott to Chester penitentiary for observation. Another set of alienists employed by the State studied Scott and they have just announced their decision that he is sane. The next step is another formal sanity hearing.

At this event, the alienists hired by Scott will battle with the alienists hired by the State, and a jury, if it is not hopelessly befuddled by the clash of the experts, will referee. We do not envy the jury its job. It will hear a lot of long words, but since one average set of alienists has just as good a vocabulary as any other set, the words don't mean anything.

We don't know what the jury will do when they retire for deliberation. Perhaps they will flip a coin. Perhaps they will tell on their fingers—My mother—told me—to render—this—verdict. These methods are frivolous, but compared with the history of the case so far, they would not be far below its general intellectual level.

Scott himself said that the whole business is a joke, and that he is as sane as anyone. But what in thunder does he know about it?

One of the two men arrested for betting on a ball game here must have wagered the St. Louis team would win. Don't send that poor chap to jail. Put him in the observation ward.

### THE ITALIAN INDUSTRIAL STATE.

In his proclamation to the Italian Fascists announcing the adoption of the new system of relationship between capital and labor, Premier Mussolini boasts that it signals the end of the democratic-liberal state, in whose place rises the Fascist state, "incorporating all the economic and intellectual forces of the nation to direct them toward a common purpose."

Under the new system 13 national associations will be formed, including all classes of workers and employers. No others will be permitted. Arbitration will be compulsory, with prison penalties for those who dare to engage in strikes and lockouts when the arbitration courts fail to satisfy either side to a dispute.

It is noteworthy that, while the Mussolini organs and adherents join in his cry of triumph at the supposed victory of the dictatorship spirit over liberalism, the old labor unions are silent. They dare not protest, but they know, as do men of intelligence elsewhere, that such an attempt to crystallize society and shackle human liberty cannot withstand for long the expanding and aspiring human spirit. Its success would tend to the creation of an industrial and commercial aristocracy, with its corollary, a servile labor class. If, in a democracy, imbued with liberal ideas, it is difficult to restrain wealth from getting political and industrial control and for the worker and common man to obtain justice, what may be expected in a state in which compulsion and penalties follow all attempts of the under dog to assert himself.

If human nature has not changed and the love of liberty still survives in Italy, we may expect the Fascist industrial and social ideal sooner or later to brew its own hell-broth.

And, as the poet continued to say: Don't be too tender with A. Samuel Bender.

## THE OLIVE STREET DECISION.

After six years of litigation the decision of the State Supreme Court clears the way for the widening of Olive street from Twelfth boulevard to Channing avenue, unless the complaining property owners decide to move for a rehearing or a further appeal. The decision was rendered by the court en banc, the ruling being for the city on all the legal technicalities of condemnation procedure that were invoked, and the entire body of judges concurred.

The city having paid into court approximately \$1,900,000, representing the damages to property in excess of benefit assessments in the widening of this street, contracts can be awarded immediately if the contestants can agree to accept the decision just rendered.

The decision will be hailed generally by St. Louisans, the sweeping improvement covered by this widening project being such as to put it in the first rank among bond issue changes. Public opinion would strongly condemn any further blocking of the project. Loss to property owners has already been enormous, due to the long delay. And the opportunity to enlist capital and make a beginning in the creation of a street that will bring profit to the property owners and be a credit to the city invites all concerned to put an end to costly and vexatious litigation.

It is extremely improbable that any court will differ with the decision of the State Supreme Court. The public interest demands that there be no further delay in removing the present eyesore and congestion. The questions raised by the litigants were purely technical. The Supreme Court's decision ought to end what may well be called a public holdup.

### SIC TRANSIT!

At the Earl Carroll trial, the nature of the liquid which filled the bathtub was the point of inquiry and Arthur F. Irwin, a youthful newspaper man, undertook to shed some light on it. He said he could not recall the color of the labels on the bottles, but he was impressed by the "peculiar name of the champagne."

"Well," asked Carroll's attorney, "how was the name spelled?"

"P-O-I-R-O-G-E-T," replied Irwin.

Upon reading that, 10,000 aged lovers of that sparkling draught, Pol Roger, wept bitter tears. How transient is fame, that even this early in the dry millennium the celebrated Pol Roger should be spoken of as P-O-I-R-O-G-E-T, a champagne with a "peculiar name!"

### THE NEW CROP OF LAWS.

New laws to the number of 4100 have been passed this year and the returns are not all in yet. This is a meager showing compared with the output of 1925, when 11,000 new laws were put on the statute books. However, 40 Legislatures were in session last year, while in 1926, which legislatively is an off year, only ten Legislatures were on the job.

The statistician who has compiled those figures remarks that if all the bills introduced in the New York Assembly had been passed it would have been impossible for anyone to do business in that State "because of the prohibitive costs such laws would have put on industry." Nothing is said as to the attempted regulation of industry in other states, but it is a fair presumption it approximates the situation in New York.

Broadly speaking, the public knows very little about the 4100 new laws of this year, or the bumper crop of last year. Neither do the lawyers, nor the public officials charged with the duty of enforcing the laws. It is beyond the mental capacity of the lawyer, to say nothing of the layman, to keep up with our multiplying laws. "Ignorance of the law is an impossibility."

Still, distinguished bodies meet almost daily and solemnly demand enforcement of the law, and demagogic candidates for office find votes and enthusiasm in pledging themselves to the enforcement of all our laws.

Meantime the mania for more laws rages without sign of abatement. But it carries every assurance of disaster to democracy unless the tolerance of common sense presently intervenes.

### THE NORDIC BLOND WAGS ON.

Here is a grain of comfort for all 100-per-cent Nordic blonds who, in these latter years, have betrayed no little anxiety that their supremacy in the United States is being threatened by immigration from Southern and Eastern Europe. A study of family names in the United States discloses that the 10 leading ones are thoroughly Nordic in origin. These 10 names, with the number of those bearing them, follow:

Smith	1,204,300
Johnson	1,024,200
Brown	730,500
Williams	684,700
Jones	658,300
Miller	625,800
Davis	597,900
Anderson	477,300
Wilson	422,360
Moore	363,400

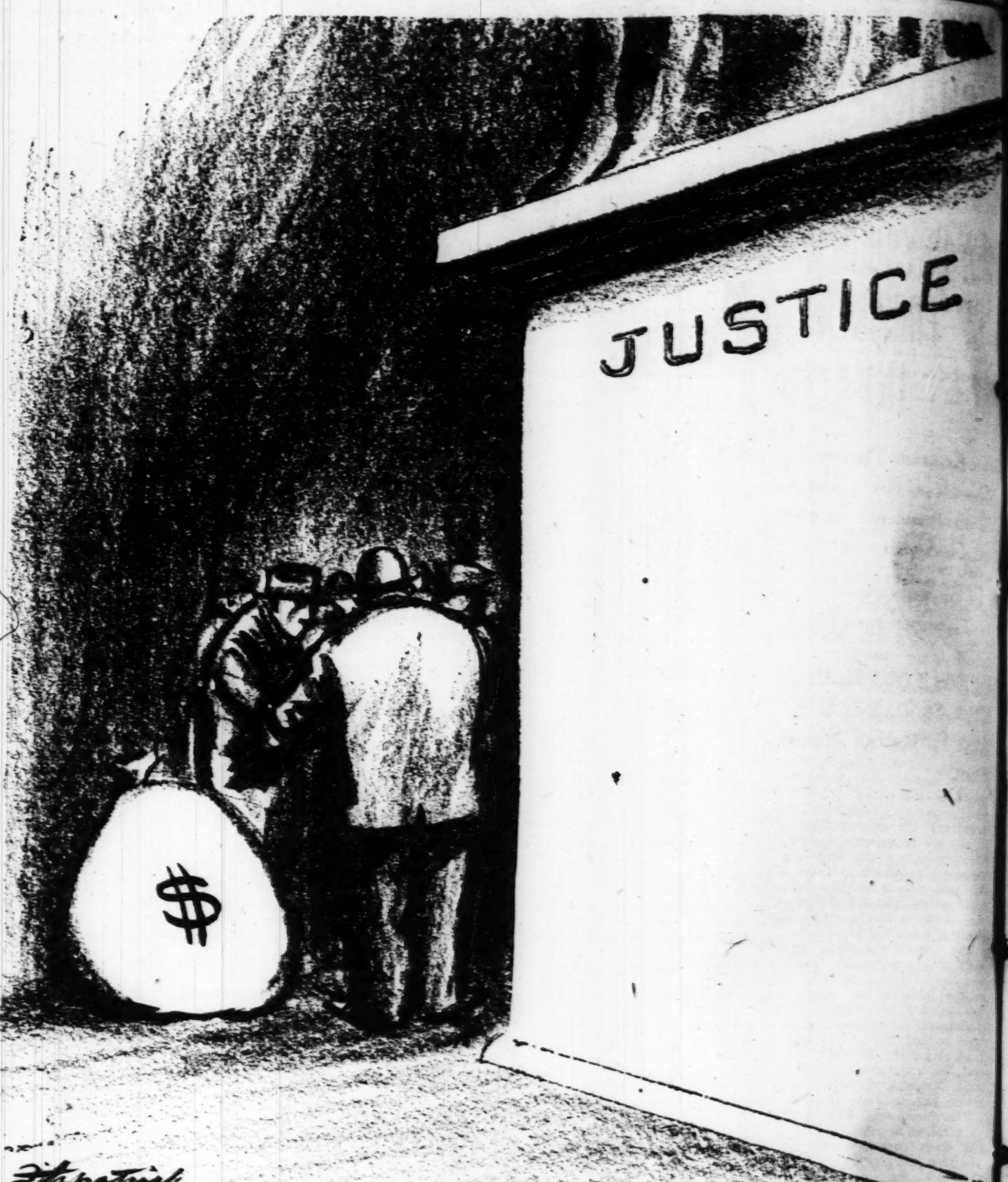
Even in such cities as Boston and New York, the name of Smith still wags supreme. The Sullivans run second in Boston and the Cohens are second in New York, but the army of Smiths gives no sign of yielding to either. So does what Mr. Lothrop Stoddard calls the Great race continue to hold its own.

### JUSTLY PROUD.

(From the Brooklyn Eagle.)



The wise man's country is the world.—Artistipus.



Patent

## WHAT PRICE MURDER?

### JUST A MINUTE

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BY CLARK McADAMS

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### THE SATURDAY CONFERENCE.

The regular Saturday conference was held under the cartoon this morning, and pretty much all the two-story thinkers were out. Socrates, who alternates with Mr. Antwine, was in the chair. Socrates thought it might be a good idea, to stretch everybody's mind by considering what sort of adventure we shall devise for ourselves after we have conquered the earth and the sky.

Socrates: Does it not seem likely that we shall turn to the sea? We see signs of this in the cruise of the Arcturus. What Beebe has done is to take us under water, and I imagine that is where our next adventure awaits us. We have no more land to discover. We have seen the poles. We have exhausted adventure in the air. However, we have not seen the sea bottom, and we know very little about that vast region under seas which is more than half the area of the planet on which we live.

Mr. Antwine: It is an interesting idea. I dare say there are wonderlands under seas of which we are undreaming. We know, for instance, that some of the mightiest mountain ranges are there. Bayard Taylor says the Vale of Kashmir and the Valley of Mexico are the two most beautiful things in the world, but what greater and far lovelier vales are likely hidden from us in the seas?

Plimthorpe: Full many a gem of purest ray serene

The dark unfathomed caves of ocean bear.

Socrates: Precisely, my dear Plimthorpe. Would you say that that never having viewed the depths of the sea we had seen the beauty of earth?

Lord Howe Dumb: Certainly not.

Socrates: Let us say we came back here in a hundred years. Would it surprise us to learn that we could ride on the sea bottom from here to Europe?

Good Reprint: Gads no! There is nothing impossible.

Socrates: Quite so, my dear Reprint. You know very well that we are going to see everything on top of ground and under the water, or if you do not know that you do not know us.

Antwine: Excellent, Socrates. Ours is an age of magic. The conquests of science have only begun. It is no harder now to imagine trains running to the Philippines than it would have been only a short while ago to imagine what has been going on the last few days around the North Pole.

Socrates: Not a bit harder, my dear Antwine.

Glaucon: Maybe Davey Jones' locker will become the most celebrated of all roadhouses.

Socrates: Who can say? At any rate, we have stretched our minds talking about it and the school of two-story thinking is adjourned until next Saturday morning.

Solon used to say that laws were like cobwebs, for that if any trifling or powerless thing fell into them they held it fast, while if it were something weightier it broke through them and was off. The right people could kill bellboys and get out of it in Rome just as they can in St. Louis.

There is only one good, namely knowledge, and only one evil, namely ignorance.—Socrates.

The wise man's country is the world.—Artistipus.

### HOW WE DO GET ON.

Rip Van Winkle finally sat up and rubbed his eyes.

"Was anything ever done to Fall?" he asked.

"Nothing," they said.

"Then Doheny, likely, is in the penitentiary for bribing him?" he ventured.

They all laughed, from which Rip readily knew he had made a bad guess there.

"All right, I'll try something else," he said. "Did Ford get Muscle Shoals?"

They shook their heads.

"Who did get it?"

"Nobody," they answered.

Rip laughed.

"You don't mean to tell me they are still debating it in Congress?" he exclaimed.

"That is precisely what they are doing," somebody said.

Rip yawned heavily and shook his pillow up.

"All right, suppose we go around again," he said, as he dropped back into slumber.

Sir: The ways of The Almighty are still past finding out, in their entirety, but with the bird's-eye view of human history now possible for us must we not felicitate The Almighty on sound judgment of human nature in relying on fear to beget religion, and to beget morality?

New along comes fear, in guise of science, leaving nations in the individual's old predicament of having to be good or risking hell.

Verily, The Almighty works in a very rational way His wonders to perform. The "mysterious" thing is not failure of America's intellectuals to comprehend the why and wherefore of the L. of N. Covenant. It is their stark, staring failure to organize opposition to the mendacious anti-League movement.

Round tables are altogether admirable—given a press, or some publicity vehicle. Probably 99 per cent of America, even today, knows not round tables; one of our best minds said to me recently: "Where is William's College, and who the hell is William?"

Sir: Why has not the Post-Dispatch queried Smedley D. Butler for his opinion of the vote of Philadelphia on the wet and dry issues?

Wonder what Smed thinks of his effort to force prohibition down the throats of Philadelphia.

There is a difference between the City of the Declaration of Independence and the jungles of Hayti and Nicaragua.

### CYNICUS.

This comes to us from Kyoto, Japan: In the hotel lobby here the following was uncovered:

Barber Shop open the year round.

Who says we are not conquering the East?—Far from home and your good paper.

Stanton, Ill.

Sir: Sign on Cherokee, advertising a prominent mercantile institution:

Any Baby Can Save.

But seemingly not every Baby can paint signs.

Z. Z.

## The MIRROR PUBLIC OPINION

This column is designed to represent without bias the latest comment by leading publicists, newspapers and publicists on the questions of the day.

### PEPPER.

From the New York World.

ACCORDING to the rules, an editor of regret would now be in order distinguished and respectable lawyer, Mr. Pepper will no longer grace the pages of the United States. Yet, wholly apart from the question of prohibition, we pleasure in the departure of Mr. Pepper, are prepared to argue that his defeat is a victory for public morals.

Few men have ever come into the life of the United States with greater advantages. George Wharton Pepper, everything that birth, education, wealth, social position could give. He was a statesman, a man of principle, highly placed to have to troop in politics, too honorable to prostitute his convictions.

And what has George Wharton Pepper been in the Senate? With what measure is his name associated? What he thought, said, done to justify the enormous political advantages with which began? George Wharton Pepper was more than a political hack, ready to do anything for a reputation for morality, it convenient to use him for. It was for the respectable, church-going, up-to-date, who wanted the country to believe that three corrupt cabinet officers were not so bad. It was Pepper, the great Constitutional lawyer, who both ends against the middle in the Court debate. And it was Pepper, the man of principle, who refused to issue of prohibition in the Pennsylvania primary and did his best to pretend that the issue was not the issue.

It is far better for public morals that people should elect a hard-boiled and pretentious politician like Vane than that they should continue a pretentious and reliable person like Pepper. The net effect of a career like Pepper's is not to raise the tone of public life. It simply makes rightness suspect and distasteful.

### THE NEW AIR MAIL SERVICE.

From the New York Times.

THE National Air Transport, Inc., "mail trucks" on the Chicago-Duluth route, and cut the time to 12 hours, schedule took two planes through St. Joseph, Kansas City, Wichita, Oklahoma City and Fort Worth. The machines weighed 3,500 pounds and were equipped with 400-horsepower Liberty engines.

Letters mailed at New York will be delivered in Dallas the next day. On just a contract service will be started between Chicago and Minneapolis. A letter post in New York at 8 p. m. will reach St. Paul and Minneapolis before noon the following day. One hundred miles an hour was a high rate of speed for the air mail matter between Chicago and Dallas.

But on March 18 mail pilots covered a distance between Chicago and New York 726 miles, in 4 hours and 35 minutes, at the rate of 159.4 miles an hour, speed of 159 miles on all routes can be made when planes of the latest model are used.

## MIXED P CHANGE STOCK

Strength in Rail  
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STOCK MARK	NEW YORK	CHICAGO	ST. LOUIS
Am. Express	100	100	100
Am. Tobacco	100	100	100
Am. Sugar	100	100	100
Am. Oil	100	100	100
Am. Paper	100	100	100
Am. Glass	100	100	100
Am. Rubber	100	100	100
Am. Leather	100	100	100
Am. Lumber	100	100	100
Am. Coal	100	100	100
Am. Iron	100	100	100
Am. Steel	100	100	100
Am. Copper	100	100	100
Am. Zinc	100	100	100
Am. Lead	100	100	100
Am. Tin	100	100	100
Am. Gold	100	100	100
Am. Silver	100	100	100
Am. Platinum	100	100	100
Am. Palladium	100	100	100
Am. Iridium	100	100	100
Am. Rhodium	100	100	100
Am. Osmium	100	100	100
Am. Selenium	100	100	100
Am. Tellurium	100	100	100
Am. Vanadium	100	100	100
Am. Niobium	100	100	100
Am. Tantalum	100	100	100
Am. Zirconium	100	100	100
Am. Hafnium	100	100	100
Am. Rhenium	100	100	10



# FIXED PRICE CHANGES IN STOCK LIST

Strength in Railroad Shares  
New Heaviness Development in Motors — Trade Is of Fairly Heavy Volume.

STOCK MARKET AVERAGES

Index	1926	1925	1924	1923	1922	1921	1920	1919	1918	1917	1916	1915	1914	1913	1912	1911	1910	1909	1908	1907	1906	1905	1904	1903	1902	1901	1900
Dow Jones	123.11	110.88	105.88	100.88	95.88	90.88	85.88	80.88	75.88	70.88	65.88	60.88	55.88	50.88	45.88	40.88	35.88	30.88	25.88	20.88	15.88	10.88	5.88	0.88	-5.88	-10.88	-15.88

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, May 22.—Strength of the railroad shares, coincident with the new heaviness of the market, featured today's brief but irregular session of the stock market. Trading was in fairly heavy volume, the day's sales running around 500,000 shares.  
The market was in a break demand as the result of the unusually favorable character of the April earnings reports. Among the many issues to sell a point or more higher were New York Central, Seaboard Air Line, Erie, Ohio, and Pittsburgh, Frisco common and Southern Railway.  
With urgent short covering inspired by the higher Hudson dividend apparently completed, and no organized effort made to follow in the advance, bear traders were quick to renew the selling of the automotive issues. Mack Truck led two points on the first outburst of selling and Stewart-Warner, Hudson and General Motors about a point each.  
The only overnight business news of stock market importance was the omission of the dividend on the Armour "A" stock, which was quickly reflected in the establishment of a new low for the year in that issue, followed by a brisk recovery. Baldwin and General Electric were heavy and Atlantic Refining yielded part of its advance. The Commercial Solvents issues each rallied nearly four points, the "B" stock touching a new high for the year, and moderate gains were recorded by Adams Express, Fleischmann, Burns Brothers "B" and the American Tobacco issues.  
United States Steel was bid late in day.  
The closing was irregular.

## Foreign Exchange

NEW YORK, May 22.—Following is a list of quotations in the foreign exchange market:

Currency	Rate
London	104.15
Paris	248.15
Geneva	104.15
Switzerland	104.15
Belgium	104.15
Netherlands	104.15
Denmark	104.15
Sweden	104.15
Norway	104.15
Finland	104.15
Poland	104.15
Czechoslovakia	104.15
Slovakia	104.15
Hungary	104.15
Romania	104.15
Bulgaria	104.15
Greece	104.15
Turkey	104.15
Yugoslavia	104.15
Serbia	104.15
Croatia	104.15
Slovenia	104.15
Montenegro	104.15
Albania	104.15
Macedonia	104.15
Bosnia	104.15
Herzegovina	104.15
Sandwich Islands	104.15
Trinidad	104.15
Tobago	104.15
St. Vincent	104.15
Grenada	104.15
Dominica	104.15
Antigua	104.15
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St. Vincent	104.15
Grenada	104.15
Dominica	104.15
Antigua	104.15
Barbados	104.15

## Chicago Stock Sales

CHICAGO, May 22.—Following is a list of quotations in the Chicago stock market:

Stock	Price
Am. Tel. & Tel.	147.14
Am. Express	110.88
Am. Sugar	105.88
Am. Tobacco	100.88
Am. Wire	95.88
Am. Zinc	90.88
Am. Iron	85.88
Am. Steel	80.88
Am. Coal	75.88
Am. Oil	70.88
Am. Gas	65.88
Am. Electric	60.88
Am. Chemical	55.88
Am. Pharmaceutical	50.88
Am. Food	45.88
Am. Textile	40.88
Am. Paper	35.88
Am. Rubber	30.88
Am. Glass	25.88
Am. Lumber	20.88
Am. Brick	15.88
Am. Cement	10.88
Am. Iron	5.88
Am. Steel	0.88

## Boston Stock Market

BOSTON, May 22.—Following is a list of quotations in the Boston stock market:

Stock	Price
Am. Tel. & Tel.	147.14
Am. Express	110.88
Am. Sugar	105.88
Am. Tobacco	100.88
Am. Wire	95.88
Am. Zinc	90.88
Am. Iron	85.88
Am. Steel	80.88
Am. Coal	75.88
Am. Oil	70.88
Am. Gas	65.88
Am. Electric	60.88
Am. Chemical	55.88
Am. Pharmaceutical	50.88
Am. Food	45.88
Am. Textile	40.88
Am. Paper	35.88
Am. Rubber	30.88
Am. Glass	25.88
Am. Lumber	20.88
Am. Brick	15.88
Am. Cement	10.88
Am. Iron	5.88
Am. Steel	0.88

# TODAY'S NEW YORK STOCK MARKET (COMPLETE)

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1926	1925	1924	1923	1922	1921	1920	1919	1918	1917	1916	1915	1914	1913	1912	1911	1910	1909	1908	1907	1906	1905	1904	1903	1902	1901	1900
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# NEW YORK BONDS (COMPLETE)

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
NEW YORK, May 22.—In the following table will be found a list of sales, highest, lowest and closing prices of bonds traded in on the Stock Exchange today, sales being in \$1000 lots (000 omitted).

Quotations on all United States Liberty Bonds are in dollars and thirty-seconds of a dollar, for instance, a sale price of \$99.74 means \$99 and twenty-fourths of a dollar, or \$99.74.

Total sales today were \$5,750,000, against \$12,552,000 yesterday. Total sales for a week ago, \$3,700,000 a year ago, and \$4,868,000 two years ago. From Jan. 1 to date sales were \$1,044,518,000, against \$1,531,551,000 a year ago, and \$1,315,126,000 two years ago.

**GOVERNMENT BONDS.**  
Sales, Security, High, Low, Close.

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**RAILROAD BONDS.**  
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**INDUSTRIAL BONDS.**  
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**FOREIGN BONDS.**  
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**FAMOUS OLD MISSOURI TAVERN RE-OPENED**



Tap room of the Arrow Rock Inn at Arrow Rock, Mo., built in 1830, which was re-opened this week by the Daughters of the American Revolution. It is the first historical landmark of Missouri to be purchased by the State.  
—Marshall Mo. photo

**THE EXCAVATIONS AT ARMAGEDDON**



James H. Breasted, director of the University of Chicago Oriental Institute, inspecting stone fragments unearthed at Biblical and historical battleground in the near east.  
—Underwood & Underwood

**OUT FOR A WALK**



Mme. Sze, wife of the Chinese Minister to Washington, compromises between her native costume and a modern dress.  
—Underwood & Underwood

**SIAMESE TWINS OF THE FOREST**



**A GOOD CATCH**



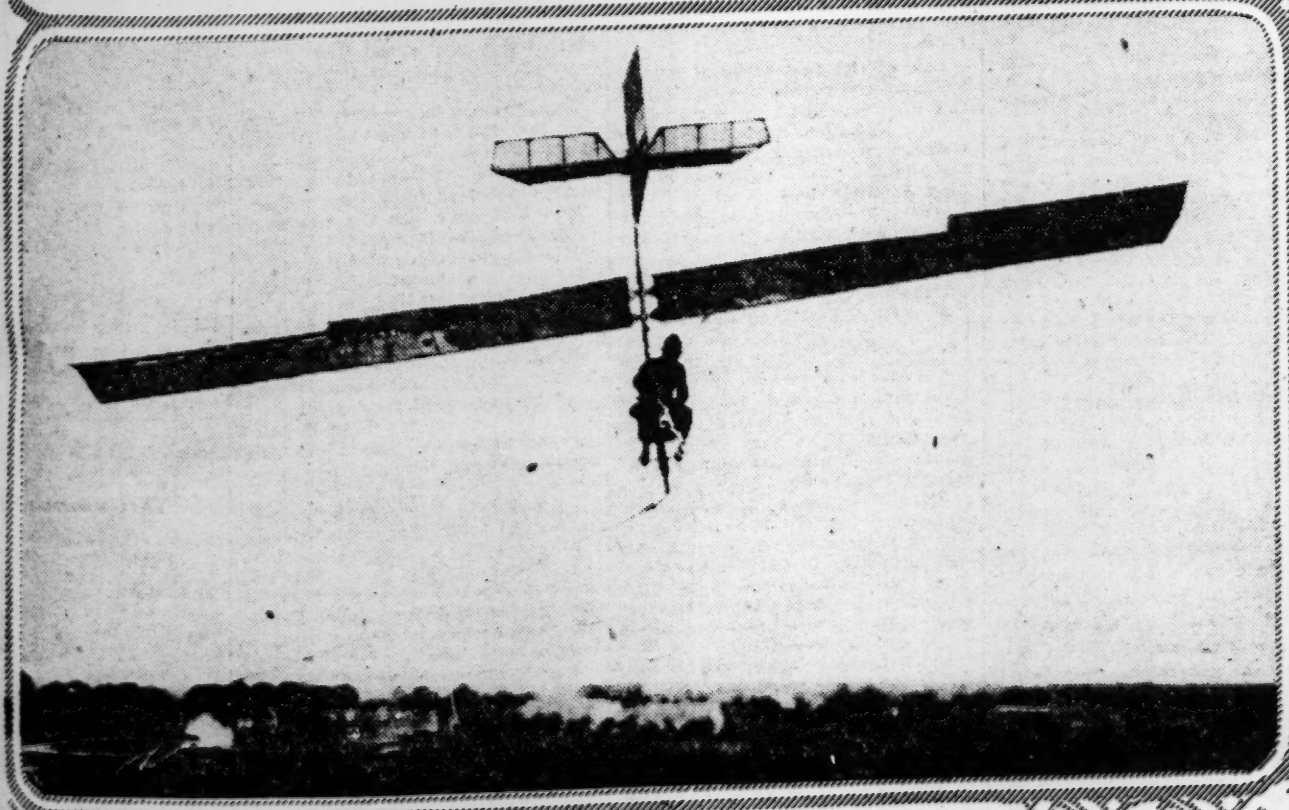
A 60-pound cod hooked at Gloucester, Mass.  
—Kryatone View Co.

**HAPPY RUSSIAN CHILDREN**



Youngsters of Moscow taking part in the May day celebration.  
—International Newsreel

**FLYING WITHOUT AN ENGINE**



A motorless plane in Hahnberg, Germany.  
—International Newsreel

**A FATHER AND HIS SONS**



An English bulldog and his four sons, winners of the family blue ribbon at the Syracuse, N. Y., dog show.  
—Wide World photo











